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歌舞伎町一番街
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LET THAT BE MY TREAT...

ガンダム創世
THIS IS A WORK OF FICTION.

YOU'RE FROM SUNRISE, RIGHT?
HAHA, YOU KNEW? I'M FROM SALES..
YOU HAVE THAT SMELL...
BESIDES, GUYS LIKE YOU ARE THE ONLY ONES WHO WOULD QUOTE GUNDAM AROUND HERE...
IKEDA, A GUNDAM MOVIE HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED!
IF IT DOES WELL A SEQUEL MIGHT... HUH?
WHAT'S THE MATTER...? YOU LOOK RATHER DEPRESSED...
TELL OLD MAN TOMINO THIS...
MOVIES ARE NO PUSHOVERS!
GOT IT?

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G-GOT IT...
AT THIS TIME IKEDA SHUUICHI ALREADY HAD A LONG CAREER AS AN ACTOR.
GETTING A MOVIE WAS GREAT, BUT HE HAD ALREADY SEEN MANY PRECEDENTS WHO HAD REMAINED UNNOTICED...
HEH, ALRIGHT THEN...
SINCE YOU MADE THE EFFORT TO BE WITTY I'LL LET YOU TREAT ME, SEE YA...
UNDERSTOOD!
HERE IS THE BILL. 150 000 YEN.
OK, ONE HUND-...
EEEEH!?

JUST HOW MUCH DID HE DRINK!!!?
IKEDA!!!
IKEDAAAAAAA!!

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プシュー
KAMIIGUSA! KAMIIGUSA!
西武新宿
プルルル
KAMIIGUSA STATION
AAH, SO COLD!
AND WORKING ON A SUNDAY... HUH?

WHAT'S WITH THE LINE?
DID THEY OPEN A NEW BAKERY OR SOMETHING?
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WAIT..? THIS WAY IS...
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SUNRISE JAPAN
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WHY IS THERE A LINE IN FRONT OF OUR PLACE!?
YOU'RE LATE KUSAKARI!! WHERE THE HELL WERE YOU!!!
PLEASE GET IN LINE...
YATATE!! WHAT IN THE WORLD IS THIS LINE FOR!?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN WHAT!?
THE DATA BOOK OF COURSE!!! THE OFFICIAL DATA BOOK!!!

DATA BOOK!
A GUNDAM BOOK PUBLISHED BY SUNRISE THEMSELVES!

WITH THE HELP OF ANIMEC'S KOMAKI, THEY HAD PUBLISHED NEVER BERORE SEEN MATERIAL. FOR ENTHUSIASTS THIS IS OF HIGH VALUE.
TODAY, A FIRST EDITION PRINTING WILL FETCH A HIGH PRICE.

BUT NOT ONLY WAS IT EXPENSIVE, (2900 YEN A PIECE), IT COULD ONLY BE BOUGHT TRHOUGH MAIL ORDER AND NOT IN REGULAR BOOK SHOPS.
GH...
THEY SAY THAT "IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THE DATA BOOK YOU ARE NOT A TRUE GUNDAM FAN". A LEGENDARY BOOK INDEED.
B-BUT WHAT SHOULD WE DO!?
THIS MANY...
WE HAVEN'T PRINTED THIS MANY BOOKS!!!

THERE'S NOTHING WE CAN DO! WE'LL TAKE THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES AND SEND IT TO THEM LATER!
COULD YOU GET A NOTEPAD!?
GOT IT!
HELLO, SUNRISE JAPAN!
HELLO, IS THIS KUSAKARI!?
AH, KOMAKI!
CUSTOMERS HAVE FLOODED OUR STORE TOO, WANTING TO BUY THE DATA BOOK!
I SEE, THERE TOO...!
AT THE TIME ANIMEC HAD AN ANIME SHOP IN SHINJUKU TOO.
DON'T PUSH ME!
OW!
THEY HAD A STORE IN THE SAME BUILDING AS THE EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT AND ALSO SOLD VARIOUS GUNDAM RELATED MERCHANDISE...
Animec

ANYWAY I TOLD THEM WE DON'T HAVE ANY SO I SENT THEM OVER TO YOU!
EH!?
WITH THE TRAIN FROM SHINJUKU IT SHOULD-...
...HUH?
HELLO, WHAT HAPPENED? KUSAKARI?
...!!
MORE...?
EVEN MORE ARE COMING?!
THOUGH LATER, THIS LINE...
WOULD COME TO SEEM LIKE MERELY A PROLOGUE...
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